# EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS AND HOME SAFETY BASICS

## Satellite Conference and Live Webcast

Wednesday, November 30, 2011, 2:00-4:00 p.m. (Central Time) 3:00-5:00 p.m. (Eastern) =1:00-3:00 p.m. (Mountain) =12:00-2:00 p.m. (Pacific)

A home should be a safe environment for those living in it, however, with many elderly and disabled patients, this isn't always the case. Living conditions, disability, and even inclement weather can all have a hazardous or deadly effect on a homebound patient's health and safety. In an effort to prevent serious injury and promote safety to homebound patients, program faculty will provide valuable information on how to make the home a safer place for those living in it.

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#### PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

- 1. Describe how to evaluate unsafe environments in a home setting.
- 2. Discuss how to relay safety information to caregivers and care recipients.
- 3. Review household hazards associated with weather related events.

## **CONFERENCE DETAILS:**

Target Audience: Nurses, social workers, home care professionals, para-professionals, caregivers, case managers

Continuing Education: Nurses 1.75 hours, Social Workers 1.75 hours

Registration: www.adph.org/alphtn

Technical Information: To receive complete technical information you must register at www.adph.org/alphtn

Satellite - Live satellite conference on C band (analog).

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Audio - To listen by phone, call 1-888-557-8511. Enter access code 972-1530 #.

Press # again to listen to the conference.

On Demand - Available 2-3 business days after the live broadcast from the On Demand page of our website.

**Conference Materials:** Posted on our website approximately one week before the program for registered participants.

Conference Details Questions: Call: 334-206-5618 | Email: alphtn@adph.state.al.us



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